

## VOLUME II

# GENERAL AVIATION INSPECTOR (OPERATIONS)

## TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

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### FAR PART 125 RELATED TASKS

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#### CHAPTER 71 INTRODUCTION TO FAR PART 125 RELATED TASKS

**1. GENERAL.** Chapters 72 through 85 detail all the job tasks related to FAR Part 125, Certification and Operations: Airplanes having a Seating Capacity of 20 or More or a Maximum Payload Capacity of 6,000 Pounds or More.

**3. RENEWAL, AMENDMENT, OR CANCELLATION OF A FAR PART 125 CERTIFICATE.** A certificate issued under FAR Part 125 is effective until surrendered, suspended, or revoked. A currently effective certificate or operations specifications that has been lost or destroyed shall be replaced by the district office that has custody of the operator's certificate file. These documents shall duplicate those that were lost or destroyed. The copies issued shall have the word "DUPLICATE" and the date of preparation as well as the original issuance date (Figure 71-1).

**A. Renewals.** Not applicable to FAR Part 125 operator certificates.

**B. Amendments.** A FAR Part 125 operator may apply to amend either the operating certificate or the operations specifications. The FAA may also amend the operating certificate or the operations specifications as the result of actions taken under Section 609 of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 and FAR Part 13.

(1) If the certificate holder wishes to change the legal name on a certificate or change the address of its principal business office or its principal operations base, the operator must apply to amend the existing operating certificate. The application will be in letter form (See Figure 71-2) to the certificate holding office. All supporting documents should accompany the request for amendment.

(2) It is the responsibility of the manager of the certificate holding district office to determine what additional inspections will be required before approval of any amendment.

(3) The certificate will be reissued with the appropriate changes, will retain the original date of issuance,

and will show the amended date of issuance (Figure 71-3).

(4) FAR § 125.35 provides the authority and procedures for the amendment of operations specifications. Procedures for this are found in Related Task #76, Approve Operations Specifications.

**C. Cancellation.** Certificates and operations specifications which are voluntarily surrendered for cancellation should be accepted. The certificate must be accompanied by a written request from the operator for cancellation. The request must be signed by either a person authorized to act for the company or by the owner. The request may not be conditional. If the operating certificate or operations specifications has been lost or destroyed, a statement by the operator to this effect shall be included in this written request.

**5. FOREIGN OPERATORS.** Foreign operations fall into three categories:

- Air carrier operations conducted under FAR Part 129
- Foreign citizens operating U.S.-registered aircraft outside the United States under FAR Part 91: Operators in this category must comply with the maintenance inspection requirements of FAR § 125.247. This requirement provides a satisfactory level of airworthiness and is responsive to international treaty obligations.
- Foreign citizens operating U.S.-registered aircraft into the U.S. under FAR Part 125. To be certificated under FAR Part 125, the foreign operator must make application to the district office nearest to the proposed port of entry. The maintenance unit of the district office will prepare a special flight permit, with appropriate limitations and valid only over U.S. territory, to a specific destination airport where the appropriate inspections may be conducted. The special flight permit may also include instructions and authorization for a one-time exit flight if the operator fails to meet the certification requirements.

**FIGURE 71-1 FAR PART 125 OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATE MARKED "DUPLICATE"**

DUPLICATE

# Operating Certificate

This certifies that

Atlantis Aviation, Inc.  
7705 Airport Road  
Chantilly, VA 22345

has met the requirements of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended, and the rules, regulations, and standards prescribed therein, for the issuance of this certificate and is authorized to operate as an Air Operator and conduct FAR Part 125 Operations

in accordance with said Act and its rules, regulations, and standards;

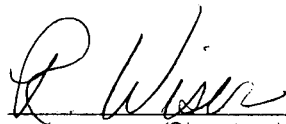
This certificate is not transferable and, unless canceled, suspended, superseded, surrendered or revoked, shall continue in effect indefinitely.

By Direction of the Administrator.

Certificate number: AAI-L-013-B

Effective date: January 1, 1989

Issued at: EA06, Washington, DC

  
(Signature)  
Manager, FSDO 06  
(Title)

**FIGURE 71-2 APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE AMENDMENT**

Fred's People & Fish, Inc.  
189 Highland Avenue  
Winthrop, MA 02152

Federal Aviation Administration

Flight Standards District Office

Westfield, MA 01085

Dear Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_:

Fred's People and Fish, Inc., holder of FAR Part 125 Certificate number FPF011A is requesting amendment to that certificate to reflect the new address of its business office. The new address, effective in 30 days, will be Fred's People and Fish, Inc., 39 Harvard Yard Road, Boston, MA 01234.

Our operations and management personnel remain the same as for our initial certification.

Yours truly,

Fred Brown  
President

## FIGURE 71-3 SAMPLE AMENDED CERTIFICATE



U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
**Federal Aviation  
Administration**

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in accordance with said Act and its rules, regulations, and standards;

This certificate is not transferable and, unless canceled, suspended, superseded, surrendered or revoked, shall continue in effect indefinitely.

By Direction of the Administrator.

Certificate number: AAI-L-013-B

Effective date: May 18, 1989

Original Issuance: Jan. 1, 1989

Issued at: EA06, Washington, DC

(Signature)

Manager, FSDO 06

(Title)